# SPEEDING

TO LOSE CONTROL OF THEIR VEHICLES.

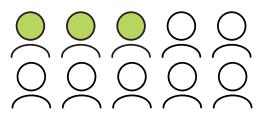
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INJURY OR DEATH IN A CRASH

32% OF FATAL CRASHES INVOLVING TEEN DRIVERS OF PASSENGER VEHICLES.

**SPEEDERS ACCOUNT FOR** 



3 OUT OF EVERY 10 DRIVERS. (NHTSA)

SPEEDING REDUCES
THE EFFECTIVENESS OF
SEAT BELTS, AIRBAGS
AND OTHER OCCUPANT
SAFETY FEATURES.

SPEEDING **INCREASES THE DISTANCE NEEDED TO STOP** A VEHICLE AND REDUCES REACTION TIME FOR THE DRIVER. (NHTSA)



#### IMPAIRED DRIVING

DRUGS AND ALCOHOL IMPAIR JUDGMENT, REACTION TIME AND AWARENESS.

TEEN DRIVERS ARE MORE LIKELY TO BE KILLED IN AN ALCOHOL-RELATED CRASH THAN ANY OTHER AGE GROUP.



2 IS THE MINIMUM LEGAL DRINKING AGE IN EVERY STATE.

DRUGS OTHER THAN ALCOHOL ARE INVOLVED IN 16% OF MOTOR VEHICLE CRASHES.

(NHTSA)

MANY EMPLOYERS, COLLEGES, AND MILITARY RECRUITERS TAKE ALCOHOL-RELATED OFFENSES INTO CONSIDERATION WHEN HIRING OR ACCEPTING APPLICANTS.



YOUNG MALE DRIVERS ARE MORE LIKELY TO BE IN AN ALCOHOL-RELATED FATAL CRASH THAN YOUNG FEMALE DRIVERS.

16% OF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS



HAVE DRIVEN UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF MARIJUANA.

OF 15- TO 18-YEAR-OLD DRIVERS
INVOLVED IN FATAL CRASHES HAD
BEEN DRINKING.

PEOPLE DIED IN DRUG-RELATED CRASHES IN MICHIGAN. A TEEN DRIVING WITH A BLOOD ALCOHOL CONCENTRATION (BAC) OF .08 OR ABOVE **MAY BE CHARGED WITH THE ADULT CRIME** OF OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED (OWI).

#### DISTRACTED DRIVING



TEXTING TAKES YOUR EYES OFF THE ROAD FOR 5 SECONDS.

AT 55 MPH, THAT'S LIKE DRIVING THE LENGTH OF A FOOTBALL FIELD WITH YOUR EYES CLOSED.



DOING VISUAL-MANUAL TASKS (LIKE **TEXTING) WHILE DRIVING INCREASES** YOUR ODDS OF A CRASH BY 83%.

PEOPLE WHO EAT OR DRINK WHILE DRIVING HAVE A 3.6X GRFAT THAN DRIVERS WHO DON'T.

DISTRACTED DRIVING ACCOUNTS FOR ABOUT

25% OF ALL CRASH FATALITIES.



IN MICHIGAN, KELSEY'S LAW BANS ALL CELL PHONE USE BY DRIVERS WITH A LEVEL 1 OR LEVEL 2 DRIVER'S LICENSE.

 $\bigcirc$   $\bigcirc$  1 OUT OF 3 TEENS WHO TEXT SAY THEY'VE DONE SO WHILE DRIVING. WHICH INCREASES CRASH RISK BY 23 TIMES.

AT ANY MOMENT IN AMERICA, **APPROXIMATELY 660,000** DRIVERS ARE USING ELECTRONIC **DEVICES WHILE DRIVING.** 

THE TWO TOP DISTRACTIONS FOR TEEN DRIVERS:

INTERACTION WITH OTHER TEEN PASSENGERS AND CELL PHONE USE.



VIDEO OF ALMOST 1,700 CRASHES INVOLVING TEEN DRIVERS REVEALED THAT 58% WERE CAUSED BY SOME FORM OF DISTRACTED DRIVING.

### PASSENGERS

A 16- OR 17-YEAR-OLD DRIVER'S RISK OF BEING KILLED IN A CRASH:

**INCREASES BY** 

**44**%

WITH ONE PASSENGER 21 OR YOUNGER.

DOUBLES
WITH TWO PASSENGERS 21 OR YOUNGER.

OUADRUPLES

WITH **THREE OR MORE PASSENGERS** 21 OR YOUNGER.

**DROPS 62%** 

WITH AN **ADULT 35+**IN THE VEHICLE.

WHEN A TEEN DRIVER HAS ONLY TEEN PASSENGERS IN THE CAR, THE FATALITY RATE FOR ALL PEOPLE INVOLVED IN A CRASH INCREASES 51%.



FEMALE TEEN DRIVERS,
HOWEVER, RARELY DROVE
AGGRESSIVELY, WITH OR
WITHOUT TEEN PASSENGERS.

WITH OTHER TEENS IN THE CAR, MALE TEEN DRIVERS WERE NEARLY

**6X MORE LIKELY** 

TO PERFORM AN ILLEGAL MANEUVER. AND

2X MORE LIKELY

TO DRIVE AGGRESSIVELY BEFORE CRASHING

THAN WHEN DRIVING ALONE.

## SEAT BELTS

TEENS HAVE THE LOWEST RATE OF SEAT BELT USE OF ANY AGE GROUP.

NATIONWIDE IN 2016,

50% OF SPEEDING DRIVERS KILLED IN CRASHES WERE NOT WEARING SEAT BELTS.

TEENS WHOSE PARENTS
SET RULES AND MONITOR
THEIR DRIVING ARE TWICE
AS LIKELY TO WEAR A SEAT
BELT AS TEENS WITH LESSINVOLVED PARENTS.

580 OF 15- TO 18-YEAR-OLD CRASH FATALITIES WERE NOT WEARING SEAT BELTS.



**SEAT BELTS INCREASE THE CHANCES** 

OF SURVIVING A CRASH BY NEARLY 50 PERCENT.

IN 2016, YOUNG MEN 18-34 REPRESENTED 44% OF ALL THE PEOPLE WHO DIED

44% OF ALL THE PEOPLE WHO DIED IN CRASHES WHILE UNBUCKLED.



30 TIMES MORE LIKELY

TO BE EJECTED FROM A VEHICLE IN A CRASH.

MORE THAN 75% OF THOSE EJECTED DURING A FATAL CRASH DIED FROM THEIR INJURIES.



WHEN A CRASH OCCURS THE CAR STOPS IN THE FIRST TENTH OF A SECOND, BUT YOU KEEP MOVING AT THE SAME SPEED UNTIL SOMETHING STOPS YOU — LIKE THE WINDSHIELD.